A TRUE COPY ATTEST:

Con M. Dagle TOWN CLERK Sept. 8, 2006

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Worcester, ss.

To a Constable of the Town of Shrewsbury in the County of Worcester

### GREETING:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Shrewsbury qualified to vote in town affairs to meet in the Oak Middle School Auditorium, 45 Oak Street, in said Shrewsbury on Tuesday, the twenty-sixth day of September, A.D., 2006, at seven o'clock post meridian (7:00 P.M.), and there to act on the following articles:

#### ARTICLE 1

To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to convey certain parcels, in fee or by easement, as shown on a plan entitled "Plan showing land transfers and easements on Groveland Street" prepared by the Town of Shrewsbury Engineering Department dated August 24, 2006 to Mary Catherine Chute and/or National Grid Corporation or its predecessors for the purposes of improving public access and safety at the intersection near Boston Turnpike (Route 9) and Svenson Road, and to convey certain parcels, in fee or by easement, to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts as shown on a plan entitled "Plan showing proposed land takings on the easterly side of Harrington Avenue for realignment and widening of a portion of Harrington Avenue and Boston Turnpike (Route 9) prepared by the Town of Shrewsbury Engineering Department dated August 2006 and recorded at the Worcester County Registry, and to convey certain parcels, in fee or by easement, to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts as shown on a plan entitled "Plan showing the proposed land takings on the westerly side of Harrington Avenue for realignment and widening of a portion of Harrington Avenue and Boston Turnpike (Route 9)" prepared by the Town of Shrewsbury Engineering Department dated August 2006 and recorded at the Worcester County Registry of Deeds, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

### ARTICLE 2

To see if the Town will change the designation of a portion of a parcel of land acquired by the Town of Shrewsbury in November of 1967 from cemetery purposes to municipal purposes to allow for the construction of the new fire headquarters, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

### ARTICLE 3

To see if the Town will rescind its vote taken under Article 41 of the May 17, 1995, Annual Town Meeting when the Town designated a 19.36 acre portion of a parcel of land formerly used for municipal solid waste disposal owned by the Town located at 630 Hartford Turnpike for active and passive recreation and open space purposes and to change the designation of this land to municipal purposes, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

### **ARTICLE 4**

To see if the Town will amend the Zoning Map by rezoning land, located at the northwest corner of Boston Turnpike (Route 9) and Lake Street, from MF-1 Garden-Type (multi-family) to Commercial Business as shown on a plan entitled "Proposed Zoning Change, Boston Turnpike (Route 9) and Lake Street" dated July 18, 2006, on file in the office of the Town Clerk., or to take any other action in relation thereto.

### ARTICLE 5

To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell in a manner and under such terms and conditions deemed appropriate by the Board, a parcel of land on Boston Turnpike (Route 9) no longer needed for highway purposes, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

### ARTICLE 6

To see if the Town will amend Article 3, Section 4 of the General By-laws of the Town of Shrewsbury by changing the date as to when the Finance Committee shall furnish a report to the Board of Selectmen on matters being considered associated with the annual budget, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

# **ARTICLE 7**

To see if the Town will change the designation of a portion of a parcel of land acquired by the Town of Shrewsbury in July of 1976 from the Masonic Education and Charity Trust from playground purposes to water supply purposes, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

### ARTICLE 8

To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money to the Stabilization Fund, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

### ARTICLE 9

To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the Treasury sums of money to supplement sums raised under Article 6 of the May 15, 2006, Annual Town Meeting to pay Town debts and charges for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2006 and appropriate said additional sums as they may see fit, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

# **ARTICLE 10**

To see if the Town will raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the Treasury the necessary sum of money to pay departmental bills contracted in prior years, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

### ARTICLE 11

To see if the Town will accept the provisions of Section 1 of Chapter 157 of the Acts of 2005 that deals with disability retirement benefits for veterans, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

# **ARTICLE 12**

To see if the Town will rescind the outstanding bond authorization that was established under Article 1 of the May 20, 2002, Special Town Meeting that was associated with the construction of additional classroom and office space at the former North Shore School, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

# **ARTICLE 13**

To see if the Town will accept a sum of money from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in accordance with Chapter 90, Section 34 and transfer said funds to the Highway Department, or to take any other action in relation thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting an attested copy thereof at the Municipal Office Building on Maple Avenue and at the Post Office located on Boston Turnpike, in said Shrewsbury fourteen days at least before the time of holding said meeting. Fail not and make due return on this Warrant with your doing thereon to the Town Clerk of Shrewsbury before the meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 7th day of September 2006.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Worcester, ss

Shrewsbury, Massachusetts

This is to certify that I have served the foregoing Warrant by posting an attested copy thereof at the Municipal Office Building on Maple Avenue and at the Post Office located on Boston Turnpike, in said Shrewsbury, as therein directed, fourteen days before the time of holding said meeting.

Constable of Shrewsbury

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